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In re Application of

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Sir:

In reply to the Notice mailed September 18, 2001, a Declaration signed by the inventor(s) and identifying the application by the name of the inventor and filing date is submitted herewith together the Verified English Translation and a preliminary amendment.

Also submitted here with is a copy of the Notice and a check that includes the amount of \$370 for the fees under 37 CFR 1.16(e), 37 CFR 1.17(i) and 37 CFR 1.17(a)(1).

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VERIFICATION OF TRANSLATION

I, JAMES R. McKenzie-Wardell declare that I am familiar with the English and German languages and that the attached document in the English language entitled Patent Application: Modular Revision Prosthesis is an accurate translation made by me of the attached document in the German language entitled PATENTANMELDUNG: MODULARE REVISIONSPROTHESE.

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Title 18, United States Code, Sec. 1001, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

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FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The application was filed in a language other than English. Applicant is required to provide an English translation of the specification and a statement that the translation is accurate. (See 37 CFR 1.52(d)).
- Applicant must file an English translation of the application, the \$ 130 fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(i), unless previously submitted, and a statement that the translation is accurate (37 CFR 1.52(d)).
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 260.**
- Because your specification was filed in a language other than English, the Office was unable to determine the number of claims submitted. Additional claim fees may be due once the number of claims can be determined.

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

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